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**Hokioi ranei Pouakai**

**Confident, Respectful, Curious Kids**

**17th December 2010 – Term 4 – Week 10 – Community Issue**

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**WAIKARI SCHOOL NEWS – PRINCIPAL**

Tena koutou, nga mihi ki a koutou,

**Prize-Giving**

It was great to see such a wonderful turnout at our annual prize-giving last night. We hope you enjoyed the student performances. Congratulations to all the talented children who received awards for outstanding academic and sporting achievements.

**2010 Leavers**

Good luck and best wishes to our 2010 leavers. We hope that you quickly settle into your new surroundings and begin the new learning journey with confidence. We look forward to hearing about your future successes!

**2011**

A reminder that we will be holding a teacher only day on the 31st of January and school will start for students on Tuesday the 1st February at 9:00a.m.

On behalf Waikari School staff, I would like to thank you for supporting our wonderful school throughout 2010 and we wish you a safe and merry Christmas and happy New Year!

Ka kite ano

Andrew Kemp

Principal

**Events Coming Up:**

Friday 17th December End of Term 4 – school finishes at 1.00pm - Please come and look through the lost property.

Monday 1st February First day of Term 1 2011 – School starts at the normal time of 9.00am

**Meetings:**

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**Church Notices**

**Anglican:**

[](http://images.google.co.nz/imgres?imgurl=http://www.fredcrystal.com/church7.gif&imgrefurl=http://www.fredcrystal.com/clipart.htm&usg=__FaA2wkF6L84fBErETLSwqN8ZNnk=&h=365&w=397&sz=11&hl=en&start=9&itbs=1&tbnid=M3ecNP32SbIaBM:&tbnh=114&tbnw=124&prev=/images?q=church+clip+art&hl=en&sa=G&gbv=2&tbs=isch:1)Sunday 19th December St James, Hawarden – 9.00am

Friday 24th December Horsley Down – (Childrens’ Service) – 5.00pm, Glenmark Chapel – 8.00pm

Saturday 25th December Scargill – 8.00am, Waikari – 9.30am

Sunday 26th December St Andrews Amberley – 11.00am

**Presbyterian:**

Sunday 19th December St James, Hawarden – 9.00am

**Catholic:**

Sunday 19th December

**Garden Club:** Monday 7th Feb 2011 **-** Trip to Leithfield & “Breedenbroek” Ashley – Bring morning tea. Lunch provided. Names to Beryl 3144-086 or Marjory – 3144 413

**General:**

Mooneys Tennis School: - Amberley Christmas Tennis Camp

Organised by Terry Mooney – Monday 20th – Thursday 23rd December 2010. Venue Amberley Tennis Club. Beginners, Improvers and Competition. If you would like an entry form or for more information please call the school office – 3144250

Shakespeare: Anybody interested in a Shakespeare play-reading group in the New Year please contact Deb or Richard- 3144410. Maybe meet once a month.

Lost: Has anybody seen a brass hand bell (dark wooden handle) lost at Waikari Hall 2years ago? Very precious family heirloom that was a school bell. Please contact or return to Deb – 3144410.

**Farewell Picnic:** for June and John Forster. To be held at the Hawarden Hall on 14th January 2011 at 6.00pm Barbeques available – Bring your own food and refreshments.

**Come to the Children’s Service!**

**Christmas Eve 2010 at Horsley Down**

**Anglican Church of St Columba,**

**Time – 5pm**

**Children may come dressed as angels or shepherds.**

**At the heart of Christmas is Jesus**

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| **Term dated for 2011** | | |
| **Term** | **Start** | **Finish** |
| 1 | Tuesday 1st February | Friday 15th April |
| 2 | Monday 2nd May | Friday 15th July |
| 3 | Monday 1st August | Friday 2nd October |
| 4 | Tuesday 25th October | Friday 16th December |



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**Waikari 4 Square and Postal Centre**

Hi Everyone, Xmas is approaching fast

We are now taking orders for all your Xmas requirements.

**Hams, Turkeys, Berries, Coleslaw, Prepared Salads, Cream, Custard etc**.

We also have a large supply of Wine and Beer at great prices, check out our specials

Have you tried our new Artisan bread, baked every morning instore

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No long queues, or parking problems....

We will not only pack your bags – we will assist you out to your car.

From now until Xmas all customers who spend $100 per order will go in draw for a Xmas Hamper

No Limits to entries.

Waikari Four Square Supermarket for stress free shopping

A big thank you to all our valued customers for supporting us throughout the year.

Dave, Jenny and our Special Team – Christine, Sonya, Cassandra and Fay (who is our special relief rural postie) wish everyone A Merry Xmas and New Year and Safe Holidays.

We want to see everyone here next year.

Don’t forget if you are going away have your mail held, Forms available instore.

There will be no mail delivery on 25th, 27th & 28th December and 1st, 3rd & 4th January









News from Room 2:

Room 2 had a great time at the prizegiving last night. Some of our dance was videoed and will be up on our wiki page for you to check out over the weekend. You will find it on our sharing page in room 2’s menu. A huge thanks to all the parents who have come into the classroom to help this year. We look forward to your help again next year. *Mrs Constable*

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**News from Room 3**

We have had a fantastic year with a huge variety of different learning experiences. One highlight would have be the writing, playing and performing of our very own song. Working with the instruments and musicians was a huge success for all the children and the performance at the prizegiving showed the commitment the students had put in. Numerous other activities such as the salmon hatching gave the students the opportunity to connect with local, national and international issues. Camp was amazing with the students gaining understanding both good and not so good about mining practises in New Zealand. They have all worked really hard this year to achieve in all areas of the school.

Big thank you to all those who put their hand up to assist whenever needed, our school could not be what it is without you all. Thanks also to the students for making learning fun and enjoyable for me. I am looking forward to another fun packed year in 2011. *Mrs Lydon*

** Students Corner:**

Memories of Waikari School from our

2010 School Leavers.

*~* I will miss being involved in the engineering project and playing the bass guitar for music, and I will miss all the people I have been friends with. *Ben Fletcher*

*~* The thing that I will miss the most about Waikari School is the engineering project and all my friends. *Thomas Philp*

*~* I am sad to leave Waikari School and my friends, I have fantastic memories of my time here. Thank you to all the teachers who have put time and effort into making me enjoy my experience here at Waikari School. *Marcus White*

~ I will miss not having the Pouakai and not being able to finish the engineering project. *Freddie Cameron*

Term 4 2011 at Waikari School

Have you seen our new look multi-cultural art panels on the front of the school? These were created by our senior students with the help of Cindy. Thank you for all the fabulous community feedback, we think they look great too!

The Engineering Group on their big day out with Mr Kemp and Mr Cornwall

The Great Salmon Escape

Room 3 releasing the grown salmon into the Mandamus River.

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